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PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE: REAL ESTATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Thursday, May 7, 2015 at 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Division of Professional Regulation

861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Cannon Building

Second Floor Conference Room A

Dover, Delaware

MINUTES APPROVED: 06/04/2015

MEMBERS PRESENT

Tim Riale, Sussex County, Professional Member, Chairperson, Presiding Tom Burns, Kent County, Professional Member, Vice Chairperson Danielle Benson, New Castle County, Professional Member (9:32 a.m. – 11:24 a.m.) Barbara Brodoway, New Castle County, Public Member Doug Doyle, Kent County, Professional Member Donna Klimowicz, New Castle County, Professional Member Casey Price, Sussex County, Professional Member Michael Rushe, Kent County, Public Member Elaine Woerner, New Castle County, Professional Member

DIVISION STAFF

Jessica Williams, Administrative Specialist II

ALSO PRESENT

Karen Alleva, New Castle County Board of REALTORS ®

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Riale called the meeting to order at 9:31 a.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

Mr. Rushe moved, seconded by Ms. Brodoway, to approve the April 2, 2015 minutes as presented. Motion carried with Mr. Doyle abstaining.

NEW BUSINESS

Review of Course Provider Applications

Mr. Doyle moved, seconded by Ms. Price, to recommend approval, denial, or tabling, of the following items as noted below. Motion unanimously carried.

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Course Provider: 360training.com, Inc.

Course Title: Bad Loans – Predatory and Fraud Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Title: Qualifying Buyer and Property Approved for Module 7 Only, Not Module 6 as Requested

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Provider: Association of REALTORS ® School

Course Title: From Competition to Closing: An Antitrust & RESPA Guide for RE Licensees Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0 Module 6 or 7

Course Title: Selling Real Estate Held by an Estate or Incapacitated Party Denied – PA Specific

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Title: Construction Basics for Real Estate Licensees Approved for Module 7 Only, Not

Module 6 as Requested

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Title: The Fine Art of Puffery, Salesmanship, Misrepresentation and Fraud Approved for

Module 7 Only, Not Module 6 as Requested

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Title: The Pros and Cons of a Pre-Listing Property Inspection Approved for Module 7 Only, Not

Module 6 as Requested

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Title: The Three D's in Selling RE: Death, Diminished Capacity & Divorce Denied – PA Specific

Credit Hours: 3.0 Module: 6 or 7

Course Provider: International Right of Way Association

Course Title: Communications in Real Estate Acquisition, IRWA Course 201 Approved for Module 7 Only,

Not Module 6 as Requested

Credit Hours: 24.0

Module: 7

Module 7 Only. Not Module 6 as Requested

Credit Hours: 16.0

Module: 7

Course Title: Principles of Real Estate Law, IRWA Course 800 Approved for Module 7 Only, Not

Module 6 as Requested

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Credit Hours: 16.0

Module: 7

Course Title: Land Titles, IRWA Course 801 Approved for Module 7 Only, Not Modules 3 and 6

as Requested

Credit Hours: 16.0

Modules: 7

Course Title: Legal Aspects of Easements, IRWA Course 802 Approved for Module 7 Only, Not

Module 3 as Requested

Credit Hours: 8.0

Module: 7

Course Provider: McKissock, LP

Course Title: A Day in the Life of a Buyer Agent Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Title: Danger in Plain Sight: Understanding Lead Paint for Property Managers Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Title: How to Work with Real Estate Investors – Part 2 Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Title: Simple Questions, Big Consequences: How to Avoid Fair Housing Violations

Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Title: The Power of Exchange: Discover the Value of 1031 Tax Deferred Exchanges Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Provider: New Castle County Board of REALTORS ®

Course Title: Real Estate JEOPARDY Approved for Module 7 Only, Not Module 4 as Requested

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Provider: Omega Real Estate School

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 6

Course Title: The Code of Ethics Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

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Module: 2

Course Provider: Real Estate Institute of Delaware
Course Title: Agency & Fair Housing Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 1

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 4

Course Provider: The CE Shop, Inc.

Course Title: Anatomy of Commercial Building Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 6

Course Title: The Fundamentals of Commercial Real Estate Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 6

Course Title: Residential Property Management Essentials Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Provider: EmpowerAbility, LLC

Course Title: Selling/Marketing to Older Adult Buyers and Buyers with Disabilities Approved

Credit Hours: 3.0

Module: 7

Course Provider: Kent County School of Real Estate

Course Title: Real Estate Pre-Licensing Course Approved

Credit Hours: 99.0

Ms. Brodoway moved, seconded by Ms. Benson, to recommend approval, denial, or tabling, of the following items as noted below. Motion unanimously carried.

Course Provider: McKissock, LP

Course Title: Delaware Core Module 3 – Real Estate Documents – Denied Due No Timing Mechanism

Credit Hours: 3.0 Module: 3 or 7

Review of Instructor Applications

Mr. Doyle moved, seconded by Ms. Price, to recommend approval, denial, or tabling, of the following items as noted below. Motion unanimously carried.

L. Robert Frame, Jr., Esq. Approved for Module 7 Only, Not Module 6 as Requested

Continuing Education: Module 7 – ABR, SRES, Intro to RE Auctions, Title Insurance, Effective Negotiating,

Selling RE Held by an Estate

<u>Clyde Johnson</u> Approved for Module 7 Only, Not Modules 3 & 6 or Pre-Licensing as

Requested

Continuing Education: Continuing Education Module7

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<u>Travis Martinez</u> Approved

Continuing Education: Module 7 – A Day in the Life of a Buyer Agent

Alvin Monshower, Jr. Approved

Continuing Education: New Licensee Module 1; Continuing Education Modules 1 – 6; Continuing Education

Module 7 – Short Sales Done the Right Way; Foreclosures; Real Estate Hot Buttons and Issues

Faith Roland Approved for Module 7 Only, Not for New Licensee Modules, Continuing Education Modules 1 – 6 or Broker's Courses as Requested

Continuing Education: Continuing Education Module 7 – Negotiation Skills, Federal Acquisition Guidelines; Negotiations with Diverse Clientele; Professional Standards of Practice; Presentation Skills

James Curran Approved

Continuing Education: New Licensee Modules 2 & 3; Continuing Education Modules: 1; 3 & 5

Pre-Licensing Course: Real Estate Law

Broker's Course: Legal & Governmental Aspects of Real Estate

Robert Fleck Approved for Module 7 Only, Not Module 3 as Requested

Continuing Education: Continuing Education Module 7 – The Power of Exchange

Cecil Harden Approved for Module 7 Only, Not Continuing Education Modules 2 or 6 as Requested

Continuing Education: Continuing Education Module 7 – All Real Estate Elective Topics

Review of Student Request for Approval of Continuing Education Activities

Mr. Doyle moved, seconded by Ms. Price, to recommend approval, denial, or tabling, of the following items as noted below. Motion unanimously carried.

Student Name: Karen Galese Approved

Course Title: National USPAP

Course Provider: Association of REALTORS ® School

Credit Hours: 7.0

Requesting Approval for Module: 7

NEW BUSINESS

Update from the Commission - Mr. Riale

Mr. Riale advised the Committee that the Commission accepted the recommendations from the April 2, 2015 meeting. The Commission's standing Legislative Committee did not meet in April. Mr. Riale provided the Committee with a brief synopsis of the new regulations regarding auctioneers.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Discussion Regarding ARELLO Certification and Standards

Mr. Burns reiterated the information he received from ARELLO regarding the course difficulty levels.

Mr. Doyle stated that the guidelines clearly state that each module is to be at least three hours in length, with fifty minutes per hour of instruction, and that self-monitoring is not allowed. He believes that online courses require self-monitoring. Additionally, Mr. Doyle voiced his concerns regarding his belief that

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ARELLO is not meeting the standards of Delaware by not having clocking mechanisms enabled for online courses.

The Committee discussed the various possibilities regarding online courses, such as timing mechanisms, and requiring a minimum passing score. In order for the Committee to clarify the term clicking mechanism, the Committee will need to define a clocking mechanism.

Mr. Burns moved, seconded by Mr. Rushe, to have Ms. Williams contact The CE Shop, Inc. and McKissock, LLC., (the largest online continuing education course providers for the State), to see what options are available for online classes regarding timing mechanisms and grading options. Ms. Williams will provide a report to the Committee during their next regularly scheduled meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

<u>Discussion Regarding Committee Composition and Upcoming Vacancies</u> This item was tabled until the next regularly scheduled meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE

There was no correspondence.

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE (for discussion only)

Mr. Burns requested that "Discussion Regarding Mandatory Question and Answer Portion on Outlines" be placed on the June agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Ms. Alleva addressed the Committee regarding the Real Estate Jeopardy Course that New Castle County Board of REALTORS ® submitted, that was recommended for approval as Module 7 only. She advised the Committee that the course was previously approved for Ward & Taylor for Module 4. Ms. Alleva was advised that the outline only reflected 50 minutes of instruction that could be considered for Module 4, hence the reason it was only recommended for Module 7 only.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, June 4, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. in Conference Room A, second floor of the Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Mr. Burns moved, seconded by Mr. Rushe, to adjourn the meeting. Motion unanimously carried. The meeting adjourned at 11:24 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jessica M. Williams Administrative Specialist II

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